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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed February 11, 2005, setting forth a Restriction Requirement in the above-identified application. In the Office Action, the Examiner required restriction to one of the following inventions under 35 U.S.C. §121:

- I. Claims 1-43, drawn to a method of making a microelectronic assembly and a method of forming protrusions on a microelectronic element.
- II. Claims 42-52, drawn to a semiconductor chip assembly.

In response, Applicants hereby elect the invention of Group I, corresponding to claims 1-43. Applicants reserve the

right to file a divisional application directed to the nonelected claims.

In the event that any fee is due in connection with the present response, the Examiner is authorized to charge Applicants' Deposit Account No. 12-1095 therefor.

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Respectfully submitted,

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